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Itaú Unibanco (Brazil)

The Itaú Unibanco corporate collection contains more than 13,000 works of art, including paintings, engravings, sculptures, photographs, films, videos and installations, as well as rare editions of literary works and other items of cultural heritage. The focal point of the Itaú Unibanco Collection is Brazilian art, although it is composed of works by both Brazilian and foreign artists. The works in the Itaú Unibanco Collection are housed in various buildings of the bank in Brazil and abroad. In Brazil, the collection is centred primarily in three locations throughout the city of São Paulo: the Centro Empresarial Itaú Unibanco, Itaú BBA and the Instituto Cultural Itaú. Works of site-specific art are also integrated at the corporate complex of the Centro Empresarial as well as a special program for guided tours, the “Caminhando com Arte” (Walking with Art). Guided tours are also available at the Espaço Olavo Setubal exhibition hall in the Instituto complex. Through the curatorial approaches to the collection, organized based on themes or forms of artist expression, exhibitions are held nationwide and at partner institutions in other countries. Organized by Itaú Cultural, these exhibitions demonstrate Itaú Unibanco’s concern for not only encouraging and preserving the country’s artistic output, but also for making it accessible to everyone at all times.